

H. Gutman and Co.

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...Great Reductions...

On All Holiday Goods.

Smoking Jackets,
Bath Robes,
Neckwear,
Gloves,Underwear,
Shirts,
Mufflers,
Suspenders, etc., etc.,

All at greatly reduced prices to close out this week. Nothing to be carried over if low prices will move them.

Some wonderful values in Men's and Boys' Suits and Overcoats this week. Bargains in every department.

M. GUTMAN & CO.,

Main and Twelfth Streets.

Geo. R. Taylor Co.

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Opening Sale of

Muslin Underwear

Tuesday, January 3.

Upon examination, our goods will be found to be far superior in make, material and workmanship, while

OUR PRICES ARE THE VERY LOWEST.**Geo. R. Taylor Company.**

Geo. H. Snook & Co.

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**STORE CLOSED MONDAY.**
SNOOK & CO.That all-important event—
our annual sale of . . .

Muslin and Cambric

Underwear

begins Tuesday, January 3.

**Enormous
In Quantity,**

bewildering in diversity, most reasonable in prices—in short, a stock which covers the field ENTIRELY—COMPLETELY—both in cheapest and finest grades. Come here with the GREATEST expectations, and you will still be agreeably surprised, as the stock will far exceed your liveliest mind—pictures as to beauty and extent.

**Mothers**

are particularly invited to call and see these dainty creations in Slips, Dresses, Skirts, etc., for baby. This is a new line with us, and we consider ourselves fortunate, indeed, in having been able to secure the BEST infants' line to show side by side with the TWO BEST lines for ladies.

VERY SPECIAL lines of Underwear at 10c, at 15c, at 25c, at 50c, at 75c, at \$1.00—at any price up to \$5.00.

Fancy profits are a thing of the past—therefore expect to sell these goods strictly on their merits.

Will be on sale in the Cloak Dept., where you can also buy any Jacket at just one-half.

See the big Underwear Window.

**Geo. M.
Snook & Co.**

Good Shoes.

**Bid Good-Bye to the Old**

and put on a pair of "The Wheeling \$3.50 Shoes" and you have not only wished yourself a happy New Year, but have foregone the colds and damp feet, and prepared yourself for health to enjoy it.

Alexander,

Shoe Seller, 1049 Main.

A Merry Christmas.

To Our Friends:

We extend thanks for their liberal patronage and wish all

A Merry Christmas.

Our store will be open to-day until 6 p. m. If you have overlooked any of your friends we can furnish the desired article.

**Dillon, Wheat
& Hancher Co.**

Shoes.

**A GOOD RESOLUTION.**

Resolve you will wear nothing but

"ROYAL"

The Favorite \$3.50 Shoe for Men.

You will then be comfortably and stylishly shod and better prepared to start the new year right.

NAY BROTHERS, 1317 Market.

"Royal" means: Right-up-to-date.

Nicoll's Art Store.

**After the Most
Prosperous Year**

In our business experience of thirty years we propose to make this, the closing one of this century of the world's greatest progress, a memorable year in our history. We thank our friends for their appreciation of our effort to give this city a First-Class Art Store, and hope to merit further favors at their hands.

NICOLL'S ART STORE.

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The Intelligencer

Office 25 and 27 Fourteenth Street.

New Advertisements.

High School Pupil—Stanton's Old City Book Store.

Prof. True—Third Page.

Cinderella—James—Nashitt & Bro.

Quarter Extended—Mutual Savings Bank.

After the Most Prosperous Year—Nicoll's Art Store—Eighteenth Page.

Opera House—Al G. Field's Minstrels.

Notice—For Sale at a Bargain.

To the Creditors of the Estate of Barbara Zilles, Deceased.

Dividend Notice—Commercial Bank.

Stockholders Meeting—Wheeling Ice and Storage Company.

Notice to Glassworkers.

A Gigantic Settlement Sale—Stone & Thomas—Fifth Page.

Muslin and Cambric Underwear—Geo. M. Snook & Co.—Eighteenth Page.

It Begins To-day—The Hub—Eighteenth Page.

The National Exchange Bank of Wheeling—Second Page.

Opening Sale of Muslin Underwear—Geo. R. Taylor Co.—Eighteenth Page.

One-Half Price—White, Handley & Foster—Eighteenth Page.

January Opening Sale—Geo. E. Stifel & Co.—Third Page.

Milk and Cream—Hygeia Dairy.

Fresh Every Day—Goetz's Drug Store.

Weather Strips—Geo. W. Johnson's Sons.

ATTENTION**BUTCHERS' AND BREWERS' EMPLOYEES.**

By buying our well known All Wool Knit Jackets you will combine comfort and durability. They are the best made. Price \$2.00 and up.

Agents for the celebrated James Hygeia Underwear, the best health underwear known.

Fashionable Tailors and Furnishers, 1321 and 1323 Market Street.

20,000.

We have fitted more than twenty thousand pairs of Spectacles, giving us a record and experience unequalled by any other optician in West Virginia. Satisfaction guaranteed.

JACOB W. GILBERT, Optician, No. 1306 Market Street.

IN ITS OWN HOME.**Day Nursery Managers Planning for Such a Move.**

The Day Nursery is contemplating the erection of a home of its own, and through Christmas donations the ladies interested have a fair-sized nucleus on deposit in a bank. The nursery moved across the creek to a building on Market street a few weeks ago, and it is hoped the day is not far distant when it will own its own home.

There were many donations received on Christmas, and the fifty children, inmates or attendants of the institution, were treated liberally. Among the contributions were the following: Geo. E. Stifel & Co., \$50; Mrs. Margaret Woodward, \$25; Henry K. List, \$25; Odris Temple, Myrtle Shrine, \$25; Simpson & Snedeker, Hygeia dairy, \$25. All were Christmas gifts with the exception of Geo. E. Stifel & Co.'s, which was given a short time before.

DON'T miss this opportunity to buy Furniture at your own price at the auction.

WHITE, HANDLEY & FOSTER.

We have moved from 1208 Main to 1319 Main street.

A. F. WINCHER, Produce.

IMPRESSIVE EXERCISES

Conducted at the Funeral of the late A. W. Ebbets—The Funeral, which was in Charge of the Elks, was Largely Attended—Many Floral Tributes.

The funeral of the late A. W. Ebbets, local manager of House & Herrmann's department store, occurred yesterday afternoon and it was the occasion of an imposing demonstration by the Elks of Wheeling and nearby towns. The exercises were in charge of Wheeling lodge and its turn-out was increased by the attendance of many members of Bel-laire lodge.

The funeral occurred from the handsome lodge rooms of Wheeling lodge, in the Rogers block. The exercises opened at 2 o'clock, at which hour the lodge room was crowded, many ladies being present. The remains lay in state in a handsome black casket, and emblems of mourning were suspended from the walls and all places admitting of it. Exalted Ruler C. C. Schmidt presided, and the Elks funeral ritual was carried out, the questions of the exalted ruler bringing forth the responses from the other officers.

The eulogy of the deceased was delivered by Rev. A. G. Robb, and it was a finished effort. Rev. Mr. Robb's feeling remarks moved many of his hearers to tears as he spoke of the deceased Elks, dying in a city in which he had no family ties. No father or mother or other relatives near, yet cared for tenderly by his comrades in the lodge. The speaker paid glowing tribute to Mr. Ebbets' personal qualities, and also to the Elks for their attention to the fitting funeral of the deceased.

During the exercises Mrs. Fred. H. Erazier sang with effect, "Nearer My God to Thee," and the Opera House orchestra, which headed the cortege, played the same hymn leaving the lodge room. The Elks, headed by the band, and followed by a long line of carriages, walked to the Elm Grove motor station, from which point motor cars were taken to Greenwood cemetery, where the remains were interred in a vault, pending information of Mr. Ebbets' sister, whose whereabouts is at present unknown.

House & Herrmann's employees all attended the funeral, and the firm's esteem of the deceased was further shown in the floral chair, one of the many floral tributes. An Elks' head on an easel was the floral tribute given by the lodge. A carriage containing the flowers followed the hearse. At the grave the regular funeral service of the Elks was read. The pall bearers were Messrs. W. H. Manning, T. A. Little, John G. Hoffman, Jr., Julius Reizenstein, Neill Quinn, Thomas O'Brien, Jr., John Klari and George W. Lutz.

CHIEF CLINE'S FIRST FIRE

Occurred Last Evening on the South Side—A Small Loss.

The first fire since Chief Cline assumed charge of the department, occurred last evening, at 5:20 o'clock. The alarm was rung in from box 53, calling out the Hook and Ladder and the Niagara and Eighth ward engines to No. 2817 Eoff street. In the building owned by Robert Newman, a fire had been lighted in the cellar to thaw out a frozen water pipe, and the fire had extended up a partition wall back of the plastering. The Eighth ward and the Niagara ladders soon extinguished the blaze, with a loss of \$50 to \$60.

BRIEF MENTIONINGS.

Events in and About the City Given in a Nutshell.

The banks are closed to-day.

Matinees at both theatres to-day.

Opera House to-night—"What Happened to Jones."

The board of education meets to-night to organize.

Grand Opera House to-night—King Dramatic company.

Annual New Year's reception at the Y. M. C. A. to-day.

The new board of county commissioners meets to-day for organization.

The Auf Wieder Sehen club will receive at Miss Emma Young's, between the hours of 2 and 5.

The annual election of directors of the Young Men's Christian Association will occur this afternoon.

The board of directors of the Commercial bank has declared a cash dividend of 3 per cent, payable on demand.

Local Union No. 2, of the glassworkers, will attend in a body the funeral of the late John E. Farley, which occurs Tuesday morning.

The city ambulance last night was called to St. Paul's Lutheran church, Eighth ward, where Mrs. Mary Holtz had been taken suddenly ill. Mrs. Holtz was taken to her home on South Wetzel street and medical aid promptly summoned.

Beginning last night the Salvation Army conducts its services in the audience room of the Hearne tabernacle, on South street, with the exception of the Sunday afternoon service which will be conducted at the hall in the Hub building until further notice.

PERSONAL NOTES.

Going and Coming of Wheeling People and Visitors.

Nonh Zane, Jr., of Allegheny, spent Sunday in the city.

H. M. Botsford, of Pittsburg, is visiting Wheeling relatives.

S. H. Patterson, of Cleveland, a lawyer formerly located in Wheeling, is in the city renewing old friendships.

Mr. Henry K. List, who is confined to his home with an attack of the grip, was reported to be improving yesterday.

T. H. Hammond, S. George, Jr., M. L. Wells and A. T. Lancaster were Wellesburg Elks in the city yesterday attending the funeral of A. W. Ebbets.

To the Public.

We are authorized to guarantee every bottle of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy, and if not satisfactory to refund the money to the purchaser. There is no better medicine made for a gripe, colds and whooping cough. Price 25 and 50c per bottle. Try it. For sale by druggists.

CHEAPEST place to buy Furniture at the auction, afternoon and evening.**WHITE, HANDLEY & FOSTER.**

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NOTICE.**UNTIL CHRISTMAS**

We will give a discount of 20 per cent on anything in our stock of \$50,000.00 worth of Diamonds, Watches, Jewelry, Silverware, etc. This means a saving of 20 cents on every dollar's worth you buy. A \$100 Set Solid Silver Tea Spoons costs you \$80.00. Rogers' Silver Knives and Forks at \$2.50 per dozen, less 20 per cent, costs you \$20.00 per dozen. You can select any goods you want at this 20 per cent reduction sale, and by paying a small deposit we will keep them for you until Christmas.

SHEFF BROS.,**JEWELERS,**

Corner Main and Eleventh Streets.

The Hub Clothiers.

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**It Begins
To-day.**

This (Monday) morning we begin our annual cleaning up sale. Every year, immediately following Christmas, we have a cleaning up sale of all goods left over from our great holiday rush. It's necessary to do this in order to maintain complete and perfect assortments. To-day we begin such a sale. To make a quick cleaning up we to-day offer all our Boys' Reefers, Boys' Top Coats and about 300 odds and ends in Boys' Suits at

A Discount of 25 Per Cent.

It means a big saving to you. Select any article advertised to-day and pay us just three-quarters of the price marked in plain figures, the other quarter is your saving.

The early bird catches the worm, or in this case we should say the choice of the bargains. Of course, your money back same as always.

THE HUB,

Clothiers, Hatters and Furnishers,

The Hub Corner, Fourteenth and Market Streets.

White, Handley & Foster.

White, Handley & Foster.

1-2 PRICE 1-2To close out the remaining
stock we will offer it at**50c**

On the Dollar.

EVERYTHING MUST BE SOLD.

WHITE, HANDLEY & FOSTER,

HERMAN FRANK, FRANK E. FOSTER, Receivers,

2247 and 2249 Market Street.

Alexander Frew.

Alexander Frew.

**100 Styles of
Rocking Chairs.**

A Handsome Christmas Present

For Old or Young.

We have all the latest styles and finishes. Golden Oak and Mahogany, with Wood, Cabbler, Leather and Upholstered Seats. Do not fail to see our special \$2.00 Rocker, Solid Oak, Leather Seat; also our new stock of Dining Room Suits, Parlor Suits, Couches, etc.

FREW'S

No. 1208 Main Street. FURNITURE STORE.

Locke Shoe Company.

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**We Are Not Much
On the Brag**

But we feel that you will pardon us this time for saying that we have the best

Ladies' Two Dollar Shoe in Wheeling.

All we want you to do is to come up and see them. When we tell you they are BETTER than anything we have EVER SOLD for the PRICE, it means a whole lot, for we have sold some GOOD ones.

Locke Shoe Company.**THE INTELLIGENCER**ADVERTISE
IN A
WIDELY
CIRCULATED
NEWSPAPER